I must say That xm radio weather and traffic reports are alot better then the local station provide. I am a truck driver and use the weather and traffic station. They usaly have the traffic and weather reported long befor the local chanals do. This is not only a beniffit for me but makes my job safer. I can advoid the traffic or stop befor I get to it and if it is a weather problem I'm able to stop and park till it is over. Don't stop them. The satilight tv has local channels so why cant xm radio. Besides I subscibe to xm radio. Why should local station have the right to tell me what i should and should not listen to. Thats why i got xm radio. When I get bored I change the chanel. Where when I'm trierd of hearing the same song on a local station and change the chanel i still hear the same songs